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For: RADIOLABELED 3-)	
[3-(BENZOYL-AMIDO) BENZYLOXY])	
ASPARTIC ACID DERIVATIVE AND)	
METHOD OF PRODUCING THE SAME)	

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116
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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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Sir:

In response to the FINAL Office Action mailed August 2, 2010, the Office is respectfully requested to consider and enter the following amendments and response. Applicants petition herewith for a THREE month extension of time and submit the corresponding fee, extending the period of response until February 2, 2011.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 6.

The paper is concurrently filed with a **Notice of Appeal**.